ROYAL GARDENS, KEW.

BULLETIN

OF

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION.

1896.

LONDON:
PRINTED FOR HER MAJESTY'S STATIONERY OFFICE,
BY EYRE AND SPOTTISWOODE,
PRINTERS TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

And to be purchased, either directly or through any Bookseller, from
EYRE AND SPOTTISWOODE, East Harding Street, Fleet Street, E.C., and
32, Abingdon Street, Westminster, S.W.; or
JOHN MENZIES & Co., 12, Hanover Street, Edinburgh, and
90, West Nile Street, Glasgow; or
HODGES, FIGGIS, & Co., Limited, 104, Grafton Street, Dublin.

1896.

Price Three Shillings.

Digitized by the Internet Archive
in 2025

https://archive.org/details/kew-bulletin_1896_contents

CONTENTS.

Date.	Article.	Subject.	Page.
1896.			
January	CCCCXCIV.	Root Diseases caused by Fungi (with plate).	1
,,	CCCCXCV.	Great Frost of 1895	5
,,	CCCCXCVI.	Leppett Tea	10
,,	CCCCXCVII.	Decades Kewenses: XXIII.–XXV.	16
,,	CCCCXCVIII.	Date Cultivation in Antigua	26
,,	CCCCXCIX.	Miscellaneous Notes	28
February	D.	Cold Storage of Fruit	33
,,	DI.	Decades Kewenses: XXVI.–XXVII.	36
,,	DII.	Dominica	42
,,	DIII.	New Orchids: 16	44
,,	DIV.	Two African Holarrhenas (*Holarrhena africana* and *H. febrifuga*).	47
,,	DV.	Natural Sugar in Tobacco	49
,,	DVI.	Miscellaneous Notes	55
Mar. and April	DVII.	Botany of Formosa	65
,,	DVIII.	New Rubber Industry in Lagos (continued). (*Kickxia africana.*)	76
,,	DIX.	Coffee Planting in Lagos	77
,,	DX.	Botanical Enterprise in East Africa	80
,,	DXI.	Myrrh and Bdellium	86
,,	DXII.	Miscellaneous Notes	96
May and June	DXIII.	Botanical Enterprise in British Honduras	101
,,	DXIV.	Sugar-cane Disease in British Guiana	106
,,	DXV.	Hand-list of Coniferæ grown in the Royal Gardens.	108
,,	DXVI.	Tropical Fodder Grasses (continued)	115
,,	DXVII.	Cotton in British Central Africa	118
,,	DXVIII.	Sisal Cultivation in the Turks and Caicos Islands.	119
,,	DXIX.	Sacred Tree of Kum-Bum	120
,,	DXX.	Miscellaneous Notes	122
July and Aug.	DXXI.	Sheep-bushes and Salt-bushes	129
,,	DXXII.	Osiers	140
,,	DXXIII.	Wild Coffee in British Central Africa	143
,,	DXXIV.	South Nyasaland	144
,,	DXXV.	Miscellaneous Notes	147
Sept. and Oct.	DXXVI.	White Tea of Persia (*Camellia theifera*)	157
,,	DXXVII.	Decades Kewenses: XXVIII.–XXX	158
,,	DXXVIII.	New Seedling Sugar-cane in Queensland	167
,,	DXXIX.	Cultivation of India-rubber in Assam	171
,,	DXXX.	German Colonies in Tropical Africa and the Pacific.	174
,,	DXXXI.	Miscellaneous Notes	185

Date.	Article.	Subject.	Page.
1896.			
November	DXXXII.	Highland Coffee of Sierra Leone (*Coffea stenophylla*), with plate.	189
„	DXXXIII.	Exploration of the Karonga Mountains -	191
„	DXXXIV.	New Orchids: 17–20 - - -	193
„	DXXXV.	Kapok - - - - -	204
„	DXXXVI.	Flora of Tibet - - - -	207
„	DXXXVII.	Cedar-tree of Mount Mlanje (*Widdringtonia Whytei*).	216
„	DXXXVIII.	Miscellaneous Notes - - -	217
December	DXXXIX.	A Retrospect, 1887–96 - - -	225
„	DXL.	Miscellaneous Notes - - -	233
		INDEX TO KEW BULLETIN, 1887–1896.	
Appendix I. -	—	List of seeds of hardy herbaceous plants and of trees and shrubs.	1
„ II. -	—	New garden plants of the year 1895 -	37
„ III. -	—	Botanical Departments at home and abroad.	55

Rosellinia radiciperda, Massee.

Wyman & Sons, Ltd., Lith, 7819, 12. 95.